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Dear Chair DeFazio and Ranking Member Graves:

I am requesting funding for Wayne CR 30 Resurfacing Project in surface transportation reauthorization legislation.

The project sponsor for this project is Wayne County and the project is located at East Old Lincoln Way, Wayne County, Ohio 44691.

The funding is designated for resurfacing a 7.28-mile section of roadway on East Old Lincoln Way (County Road 30A) in Wayne County, Ohio. Specifics of the project include various pavement repairs and milling off the surface and providing a 2.25" resurfacing across the entire roadway. The project will also include pavement markings and a treated shoulder.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars and is anticipated to benefit residents. The roadway carries over 2,000 vehicles per day, serves 30 local businesses, and provides direct access to hundreds more. Improvements to this roadway are vital to the continued increase of Workplace Development in Wayne County. Residents will benefit from smoother traffic flow, increased safety, and improved opportunities for business development along the commercial area. Additionally, Wayne County has a significant Amish population and accidents between automobiles and Amish vehicles have occurred due to the differing speeds. Pavement markings and a treated shoulder would create more separation between Amish buggies and automobiles, leading to improved safety and less fatalities.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Anthony Gonzalez
Member of Congress

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